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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
SHINJI SHIRAGA ET AL. )  
Appln. No.: 09/931,887 )  
Filed: August 20, 2001 )  
For: INFORMATION PROCESSING )  
APPARATUS WITH CENTRAL )  
PRECESSING UNIT AND MAIN )  
MEMORY HAVING POWER SAVING :  
MODE, AND POWER SAVING )  
CONTROLLING METHOD :  
Examiner: NYA  
Group Art Unit: NYA  
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Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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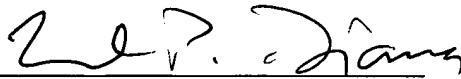
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It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below listed address.

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